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The current proposed settlement is full of loopholes that give Microsoft enough room to continue operating the way they have been all these years. Except it will now give them the aura of 'legal legitimacy'. Anyone that understands Microsoft's practices, and its effect on the software/computer industry, knows that this is more harmful for the entire industry. Given that the nation's economy is increasingly dependent on the tech industry, this has the potential to impact our economy adversely.

I request the DOJ to re-negotiate the terms of the settlement with terms that will truly help the tech industry and the economy.

Thanks, Partha Narasimhan